

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A side-sealed bag, comprising:
  - at least one first section of fabric;
  - 5 at least one second section of fabric;
  - at least one section of film material, said at least one section of film material carried between said at least one first section of fabric and said at least one second section of fabric; and
- 10 at least one thermoplastic sealing strip, said at least one thermoplastic sealing strip carried by said bag.

  

2. A method of making a side-sealed bag, comprising the steps of:
  - a. longitudinally heat sealing at least one edge of at least one first section of fabric and at least one edge of at least one second section of fabric to opposing edges of at least one section of film material to form a prepared sheet;
  - 20 b. heat-sealing onto said prepared sheet at pre-selected positions, strips of thermoplastic resin;
  - c. folding said prepared sheet; and
  - d. heat-sealing the seams formed along contacted edges via melting said strips of thermoplastic resin.